



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Pato et al.

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THE TREATMENT OF MYCOBACTERIAL
INFECTIONS AND COMPOUNDS USEFUL
THEREFOR

ART UNIT: 1645

EXAMINER: Swartz, Rodney P.

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Commissioner for Patents

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated October 5, 2006. A petition for a 3-month extension of the period in which to respond under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and the requisite fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3) are filed concurrently herewith, making the present response deadline February 5, 2007. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees required in connection with the papers filed herewith to Deposit Account No. 50-0268.

Applicants' **Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.